

9 Brief Process Outline of Dealing with Misfires

1. Stop or re-position the operation.
2. Ensure the area is safe, barricade if necessary.
3. Inform the appropriate people.
4. Take photographs of the explosive in its discovered position, where able.
5. Contact survey to ensure accurate location of misfire is obtained.
6. Recover explosive, if safe to do so.
7. Confirm with the Blast Supervisor and or Explosive supplier any action to be taken i.e., retain for investigation or take measures to destroy as per MAC-PRD-PRO-044, if destroying ensure the blast pattern number and blast hole where disposed and disposal method is documented.
8. Record any / all actions taken, during process, on MAC-PRD-FRM-023 and MAC-PRD-FRM-001.



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